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WORK TO BE PUSHED.

R. C. Preston, who took over the leases of the Ada Oil and Gas Co., has a force of men at work erecting the derrick for his first well. It is located a short distance north of the old well, and in a very short time the machinery will be in place and drilling begun. Mr. Preston knowing of the formations through which the drill must pass, and the difficulties encountered by the drillers of the first well, will be in a position to guard somewhat against these troubles and it may be reasonably expected that it will be only a short time until it will be definitely known once for all, if gas and oil are to be found in paying quantities in this vicinity.

FIGHT OVER QUESTION OF
PAYING FOR SEIZED COTTON

Washington, Feb. 28.—The senate committee on War Claims today decided to report favorably the Overman resolution requiring the secretary of the treasury to transmit to the senate a report showing what persons sold or agreed to sell to the confederate government cotton, together with the county or parish and state in which the cotton was found, and the price. This information is vital to the claimants who have brought action in the court of claims for cotton seized.

In 1877 Lott M. Morrow, then secretary of the treasury, reported that all this information was then available and ready for submission to congress, but that it should not be made public because it would promote litigation. The data asked for in the Overman resolution would show the exact status of the history of the cotton impressment by the Confederate government and the seizure by the federal government.

In 1863 the Confederate government enacted a law authorizing its agents to exchange with owners of cotton Confederate bonds for the current price. In the event the owner declined to sell, the agents could impress the cotton upon the same terms. In a great majority of cases the parties willingly sold to the Confederate government for bonds. In all these cases, where the Confederate government was not ready to receive the cotton at the time, a contract was entered into with the vendor by which he agreed to hold the cotton as bailee of the Confederate Government. In this case the United States contends that the sale was complete and that when the Confederacy went out of existence the United States, by right of conquest, succeeded to all of the rights and all of the property of the Confederate government, where the sale was completed or where the vendor held the cotton or other property as bailee.

As against this contention it is pointed out that the decisions of the supreme court, as well as the actions of all of the departments of the government during the war, held that sales alleged to have been made in aid of the rebellion were void. The question is also raised whether the sales, in many instances, did not violate the nonintercourse act. The contention has been in all these cases that the sales were void.

With the information furnished as requested in the Overman resolution, the claimants will be able to make a stubborn fight for remuneration in practically all of the cases pending in the court of claims for cotton seizures.

A telegram has just been received from Mr. Rosenfield stating that he will leave from Memphis to the Eastern markets where he will purchase the most up-to-date merchandise for the spring season, which will be shown at the Grand Leader in due time for the season's demand.

Trouble With Oil Well.

It is reported that the drillers are having considerable trouble with sand and water in the oil well near Fitzhugh. Progress is necessarily slow.

YOUNG MEN'S DEMOCRATIC CLUBS

At Oklahoma City during the recent democratic convention about one hundred and fifty young men representing nearly every county in the state met and formed the Young Men's Statewide Democratic Club. The object of this club is to uphold the flag of the democratic party, and to organize the young democrats of the state, whether voters or not, into a strong permanent body of militant and effective workers in the cause of triumphant democracy.

Besides the regular officers, the organization has five vice presidents and five members of the executive committee chosen from the congressional district. The vice presidents appoint county chairmen and organizers in each county in their district. Clubs of young democrats already formed are asked to affiliate with the state organization. A state convention will be held in Oklahoma City in August.

The following are the officers as elected:

Orel Busby, Konawa, president; L. A. Bloodworth, Lincoln county, vice president from first congressional district; Chauncey C. Brown, of Oklahoma City, vice president from the second congressional district; Judge R. C. Allen of Coweta, vice president from the third congressional district; Bailey Bobbitt, of Ada, vice president from the fourth congressional district; Wendell Johnson, of Lawton, vice president from the fifth congressional district; W. R. Richards of Oklahoma City, secretary-treasurer; W. N. Randolph of Chandler, corresponding secretary; members of the executive committee: R. S. Cole of Pawnee, Burton Duncan of Oklahoma City, Dow Dunnaway, Wewoka, C. C. Williams of Durant and Paul Walker of Shawnee. Members of advisory committee: Luther Harrison of Wetumka, Fred Tucker of Ardmore, John B. Doolin of Alva, Judge Robert M. Rainey of Atoka.

WILL COUNCIL AND SCHOOL BOARD BE CUT IN HALF

It appears that if Ada remains under the aldermanic form of government, the city council is soon to consist of only four members, one from each ward. The school board will also consist of a like number. Following is the ruling of the county attorney of Bryan county in reply to a question by the Durant Democrat. Although opinions of the same import have been rendered by others, this is the fullest of any yet seen, and for that reason is reproduced in full:

"Editor Democrat:

"In reply to your query, 'what officers, if any, are to be elected in the city of Durant this year,' will state the following:

"Session laws 1910-1, Chapter 136, Section 1, provides as follows, to-wit: 'General elections shall be held in all cities of the first class of this state on the first Tuesday in April, 1911, and each two years thereafter, at which time there shall be elected for the city at large one mayor, one city clerk, one police judge, one city engineer, one city attorney, one city marshal, one city assessor, one treasurer of the city school board and one street commissioner; also there shall be elected from each ward one councilman and one member of the school board;

"Provided, that in towns or cities in which the terms of the members of the council and school board expire in 1911, there shall be elected two members of the school board and two members of the council from each ward, one of which members of the council and school board from each ward shall serve one year and the other two years, to be determined by lot."

"The law further provides 'The terms of officials elected hereunder shall begin on the first Monday in May following their election, and they shall serve for a period of two years and until their successors are elected and qualified.'

The above is all the law pertaining to elections in cities of the first class.

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and as it is readily seen there is no provision for any election except on odd years. The legislature might have intended to have one member of the council and one member of the school board from each ward elected each year, but there is no provision for such an election and without such a provision no elections can be held.

"It is therefore the opinion of this office that no officers are to be elected in cities of the first class during the year 1912, and that after the first Monday in May this year there will only be one member of the city council and one member of the school board from each ward in the city.

Respectfully,
J. T. McINTOSH,
County Attorney.

Mason Buys New Home.

Ft. Worth, Tex.—B. H. Mason has recently purchased one of the most up-to-date California bungalows in the city. The property is located at 1615 Washington street in the heart of the south side residence district. The house was completed last Wednesday, and Mr. and Mrs. Mason were at home to their friends Saturday afternoon. Mr. Mason is attorney and representative for the largest contracting syndicate in the Southern states.

CEMENT MILL WILL RESUME OPERATIONS

The News is informed that the clinker department of the cement mill will resume operations Friday or Saturday, and that the other departments of the plant will be put into operation as rapidly as possible.

During the past few months the cement market has been somewhat demoralized and the country being overstocked, the Ada mill has not been able to run full time. However, it is hoped that the spring trade will be sufficiently brisk to keep it running at full capacity.



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Furniture & Fixtures, 3,495.84	Reserved for taxes, 587.35
Cash & Sight Exchange, 66,495.49	Deposits, 160,170.30
\$198,082.37	\$198,082.37

THE ABOVE STATEMENT IS CORRECT.

C. H. RIVES, President.

H. P. REICH, Cashier

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

For Register of Deeds:
D. W. SWANFAR
G. KITCHENS
WILMER B. JONES

For County Clerk:
J. W. WESTBROOK
A. L. MILES

For Sheriff,
L. E. MITCHELL (Re-election.)

For Clerk of District Court:
FRANK HUDDLESTON
A. D. TANNER

For County Assessor:
NICK HEARD

For County Superintendent
T. W. ROBISON,
W. T. MELTON

For County Treasurer,
RIT ERWIN (Re-election.)

For Justice of the Peace, Ada, Precinct:
H. J. BROWN
T. O. CULLINS

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 1:
HENRY KROTH

For Co. Commissioner, Dist. No. 2:
GEO. W. MONTGOMERY
(Re-election)

Are these continuous northers of the hand-me-down variety, or are they made to order?

The rivers of the United States seem to be navigable as far up from their mouths as the political influence runs.—Muskogee Phoenix.

The merchant who thinks one advertisement ought to sell his goods is in about the same class as the young

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* public, the Evening News will *
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* make the price any lower. The *
* publishers would like to give it *
* away, but every paper costs mon- *
* ed to print, and if it is worth *
* reading at all, the News is cer- *
* tainly worth the small sum ask- *
* ed for it. *

Ind. D. Rinard, Pres. Lee Daggs, V-Pres. C. T. Angel, Sec.-Treas

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A cold generally attacks the weakest part, affecting the eyes and ears in some and producing nasal catarrh and throat troubles in others. A cold is due to an inflammation of the membrane lining the air passages, and may be promptly cured with Ely's Cream Balm, which immediately removes the inflammation and all the distressing symptoms, such as sneezing, coughing, running at the nose and eyes, hoarseness, sore throat, fever and headache. One reason why this pure, antiseptic Balm acts so quickly is because it is applied directly to the tender, sore surfaces.

Even in severe, chronic cases of catarrh, Ely's Cream Balm never fails to quickly and effectually check the poisonous discharge which clogs the head and throat, causing the disgusting hawking, spitting and blowing of the nose. This remedy not only drives out the rottenness, but heals and strengthens the weakened and diseased membranes, thus ending catarrh for all time.

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ON THE CORNER

DEMOCRATS SHOWING A UNITED FRONT

(By Winfield Jones.)

Washington, Feb. 28.—Democratic leaders in congress are steering their control of legislation in the middle of the straight and narrow path. Dangers that are thrust at them from the republicans have so far been strategically avoided. Democratic house leaders are playing the political game these days for all there is in it, and with a rapidity and skill that has caused consternation in the republican camp.

It is true that the plans of the democrats have not escaped the vigilance of the old guard republicans, but many of the newly elected republicans in both the house and the senate who have not had the experience that their older colleagues enjoy show no signs of realizing what is happening, or of understanding the effect on the country of the program the democratic house leaders are trying to put through. But the more progressive and broad-gauged republicans do understand the situation and they do not conceal their anxiety over it.

According to the gossip in the congressional cloakrooms, the democratic leaders in the house have shown a capacity for good legislation that was not generally anticipated. They have dealt with various measures brought up for discussion in a way to give entire satisfaction to the country at large, and have done so about their duties in a conscientious and statesman-like manner. They have surprised their republican colleagues by their manner of taking hold of the control of legislation.

Their decision to reduce the duties on a long list of necessities of life, and the plan to revise the tariff schedules, particularly those relating to wool and cotton, which will undoubtedly be carried out, will unquestionably have the approval of the voters of the country at large.

From the way that things are going now in the Halls of Congress it is the general opinion that the democrats are going to do exactly what they said they would do at election time, and those things that the public demands. Consequently in the campaign of 1912 the independent voters will not forget the activities of the democrats along these lines when the democratic candidate is put up for election to succeed President Taft in the White House.

Naturally the question has risen and been much discussed: What are the republicans doing to win the popularity of the people and to counteract the prestige that the democrats are obtaining by their policies?

Nothing. This is the general opinion in Washington!

As far as the situation looks today the republicans in the house and senate show no indications that they are doing anything adequate to meet the conditions. On the other hand, they have been accused of following an obstructionist policy, especially in the house, but owing to a democratic majority their efforts are unavailing. In the senate, where the progressive republicans hold the balance of power, there is no disposition on the part of the republican senators to yield anything in tariff reduction that is not compulsory. This is shown conclusively by the determination of the "regulars" in the senate to insist on keeping control of the finance committee, and to bring in a high tariff measure, protecting the ideas advanced by Senator Aldrich and other high protectionists. On campaign publicity, on direct election of senators, and other questions apart from the tariff, the regular republican leaders are pursuing and will continue to pursue a course of obstruction and delay. It has been stated by some of the republicans that the party is playing right into the hands of the democratic leaders by pursuing these tactics.

To make matters worse for the republican leaders former Speaker Cannon is causing a rumpus. "Uncle Joe" has been criticizing the work of the house and seeking to justify his own course while speaker. Some of his colleagues do not like this.

The house republican progressives are also worried over the outlook. They admit that they are in danger of being lost sight of, and their only remedy is to adopt a progressive course.

In view of the manner in which the democrats have started their campaign of redemption and rehabilitation, indications now are that they will sweep the country in 1912. This is the gloomy view held by a large following in the republican ranks. Even the prediction in republican circles that President Taft's reelection is doubtful has gathered weight to an almost unbelievable degree. It is not difficult to see that an obstructive program on the part of the republican leaders in congress

S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

Before any sore can heal, the cause which produces it must be removed. As long as the blood, from which our systems receive their necessary nourishment and strength, remains impure and contaminated with disease germs, any old sore on the body will remain open, and resist every effort made to heal it. The nerves and tissues of the flesh around the places are continually fed with unhealthy matter and nature is simply disposing of the poison by draining it from the system through the sore. The only cure for an old sore is a thorough cleansing of the blood, entirely ridding the system of the cause. S. S. S. heals old sores by removing every particle of impurity from the circulation. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and so completely cleanses the circulation that there is no longer any impurity to drain through the sore, but the place is once more nourished with rich, healthful blood. S. S. S. heals the sore from the bottom, the place soon fills in with healthy, firm flesh, the tenderness leaves, all discharge ceases, the skin regains its natural color and when S. S. S. has thoroughly cleansed and purified the blood the place is permanently healed. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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will have but one effect—to help the democrats.

Consequently democrats in the house are jubilant over the situation and regard the presidential campaign as easy sailing for them.

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A. S. J. Cartwright of Fitzhugh, was in town this morning. He informed the News that he has sold out to Mr. McKee, his partner, his interest in the grocery business they have been conducting, and that in a short time he will open a hardware store at Fitzhugh.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. dtf

E. L. Steed and Miss Leone left yesterday for Kansas City.

Fish served Tuesdays and Fridays at the Pontotoc Cafe. 161-dtf

Mrs. E. L. Steed was a passenger to Tupelo this morning.

Serves You Right, Jones Drug Co. 161-dtf

Prof. T. F. Pierce made a business trip to Stonewall this morning.

All kinds of fruits and nuts at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Andy Morris was a passenger to Weleetka this morning.

New Wall Paper coming in all the while at Holley's. 229-tf

W. B. Gay is moving to East 12th street today.

Loose leaf ledgers at Holley's.

E. W. Moore and C. K. Reamer of Shawnee are in town today on business with the cement people.

Get the habit—Modern Cash Grocery—for less. Phone 198. 264-tf

Mrs. Gale Statler and children went to Stonewall this morning, where they will visit friends.

Oysters served all styles at the Pontotoc Cafe. 161-dtf

W. W. Sledge left yesterday afternoon on a business trip to Little Rock.

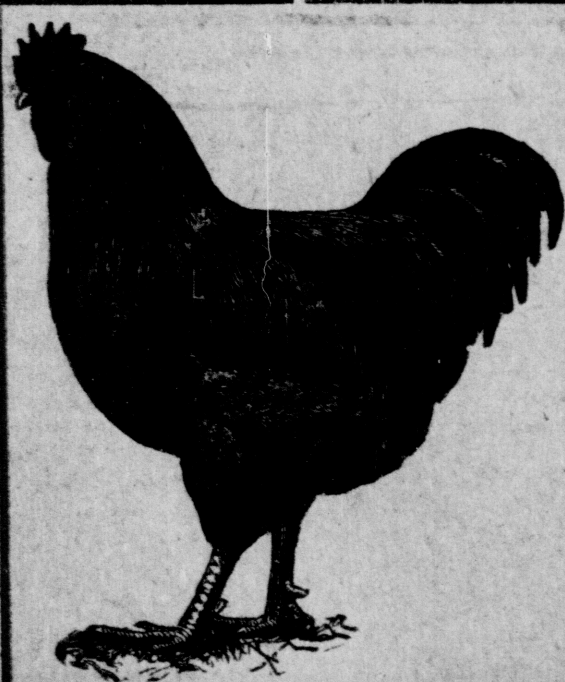
Two large furnished rooms for light housekeeping or bed rooms. See Mrs. J. W. Dean. 279-3td

Mrs. Bessie Owen and Miss Ida Enloe were passengers to Stonewall this morning.

Little leaks make large water bills. Call 57. "Ford the Plumber." 278-1m

J. P. Pool, who has been at Shawnee for several months, returned to Ada this morning to stay.

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F. F. Brydia, wife and daughter, left yesterday afternoon for Des Moines, Ia., where they will remain about ten days.

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Miss Finch, who has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. W. D. Hays, left this morning for her home in Mississippi.

Oakwood's fresh country butter. Made by Johnson Bros. Modern Cash Grocery. 267-tf

The Majestic is on hand again this evening with a strong program as will be seen by reading the regular ad in this issue of the News. You can't afford to miss it.

Visit the Modern Cash Grocery and see what you will save on your weekly grocery bills. 264-tf

Mrs. Robert Wimbish and little daughter left this morning for Dallas, where they were called by the serious illness of Mr. Moss, father of Mrs. Wimbish.

Finest line of chocolates in Ada at the Model Confectionery. 196-tf

Mr. Reynolds, representing the Remington Typewriter Co., was a visitor at our office today and informed us that he has closed a deal with Prof. J. A. Lemon of the Ada Commercial College, for ten new Remington visible machines. School, we understand, will open about the second week in next month.

The City Bakery has changed its name to Star Bakery. 273-tf

The 101 Ranch pictures proved a great drawing card at the DeSota last evening, the house being crowded at every show. Not a thing was lacking to make the program a success, and every feature of rahed life and the show was faithfully shown in the moving pictures.

M. E. Reynolds, the Remington Typewriter man who is in Ada today, says that Ada is undoubtedly the fastest growing town he has seen in Oklahoma. He expressed himself as

SPECIAL!

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especially well pleased with the spirit of progress and hustle he observed among the business men and citizens generally.

The Perpetual Change.
The things of the world are ever rising and falling, and in perpetual change; and this change must be according to the will of God, as he has bestowed upon man neither the wisdom nor the power to enable him to check it. The great lesson in these things is that man must strengthen himself doubly at such times to fulfill his duty, and to do what is right, and must seek his happiness and inward peace from objects which cannot be taken away from him.—Wilhelm von Humboldt.

Remedy for Sprains.
Bruise thoroughly one handful of green sage leaves, boil them in a gill of vinegar for ten minutes; apply to the sprained joint as a poultice between folded muslin. Rest the joint as much as possible.

It is now definitely announced that the Ada Commercial College will begin operations on the 18th of March. Prof. Stone is on the ground pushing all arrangements to completion, and with the purchase of supplies already made, it appears that nothing is now in the way of a successful beginning of the school.

Furniture Repaired

We are prepared to repair all Furniture. Bring it to Frank Jackson or Phone 438.

Report of the Condition of the MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS STATE BANK

at Ada, in the State of Oklahoma, at the close of business, Feb. 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$114,705.20
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	987.77
Bills of Exchange	10,123.35
Stocks, Bonds, Warrants, etc.	12,398.07
Furniture and Fixtures	3,495.84
Due from banks	41,505.73
Checks and other cash items	836.88
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,983.27
Cash in bank	12,046.26
Total	\$198,082.37
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$30,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,824.72
Due to banks	7,591.55
Individual deposits subject to check	136,961.03
Demand certificates of deposit	1,505.00
Time certificates of deposit	10,053.32
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	4,059.70
Reserved for taxes	587.45
Total	\$198,082.37

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, COUNTY OF PONTOTOC, ss: I, H. P. REICH, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, so help me God.

H. P. REICH, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of February, 1912. T. W. BRYDIA, [Seal] Notary Public.
My Commission expires May 24, 1915.
CORRECT—Attest: F. F. BRYDIA, R. W. ALLEN, C. H. RIVES, Directors.

BOOTLEGGERS ADOPT NEW METHODS OF BUSINESS

Muskogee, Ok., Feb. 28.—The reicing privilege granted by railroad companies on perishable freight shipments has been the latest plan employed by the bootleggers in circumventing the prohibition law. Reicing privilege means that the consignee or the consignor has authority to break the car seal for the purpose of supplying fresh ice at a point between that of origin of the shipment and destination.

Since the Circuit Court of Appeals in the Fort Smith liquor case held the old federal law prohibiting the shipment of liquor into former Indian Territory to be in effect, the proposition of getting the goods in that section of Oklahoma in anything like desirable quantities has been something of a problem. Under the regu-

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Ada, Oklahoma

OUR STATEMENT FOLLOWS.

FEBRUARY 20, 1912.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$169,982.81
Overdrafts	630.76
United States Bonds	17,500.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.	28,629.49
Bank Building	17,097.42
Other Real Estate	1,571.15
Cotton Bills of Exchange	\$15,045.51
Cash on hand and with other banks	230,084.11
Total	\$430,541.25
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided Profits	11,278.21
Circulation	17,500.00
Reserved for Taxes	790.62
Bonds Borrowed	898.33
Deposits	390,160.09
Total	\$430,541.25

The above statement is correct.

M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest: P. A. MORRIS; W. C. DUNCAN, H. T. DOUGLAS, Directors

lations persons are not only prohibited from receiving and possessing liquor there, but carriers are forbidden to accept it for transportation into the Indian district. Since delivery of the decision liquor has been taken in trunks, grips and by wagon from nearby interstate points.

In some localities jackpots have been made up and a messenger dispatched to the next state for a full supply of liquor. At other times the goods have been concentrated at a town across the State line, and from there freighted by wagon under guard into former Indian Territory. But of all devices the car-load shipment destined to be reiced at a point within the State furnished the most satisfactory way of getting a good supply on the ground.

First, there went a car load of liquor billed from Fort Smith to Kansas City via Muskogee. When the car reached destination the seal was perfect, but in making the inspection the railroad company staggered when it found the car as empty as the day it was made. A claim agent was dispatched with the way bill to consignee prepared to make an adjustment. The claim agent staggered when the consignee told him that the fact the car was empty was a mere detail, and not of sufficient importance to justify worrying. The consignee paid the freight bill, signed a release from the company and continued to smoke his cigar. The claim agent consulted the dream book to ascertain if it was true, notwithstanding he had the money in his hand. Two days later another car, as empty as the first, put in appearance, and when the freight bill was presented to the same consignee, he settled in full, and remarked that if claim agents were given to worrying

hove in sight, likewise devoid of content they would not live long. A third car tents, and then the railroad company began investigating. Every detail appeared to be regular, even to the dating of the way bill.

By way of explanation, it may be said that when a way bill reaches destination, and after passing through the hands of several freight crews, of two or more railroad lines, it bears a wealth of check signs, rubber stamp impressions and many finger prints. In searching the sheets more closely the agents found this legend: "Reice at Muskogee." Shipments via that route immediately ceased.

As a varying detail of the scheme, instead of continuing shipments from Fort Smith to Kansas City, which of itself is unusual for liquor, they were switched from Joplin to Texas, and from Texas to Fort Smith. In tracing the liquor supply local officers found that instead of "reicing" the car under the privilege, the contents were being unloaded and hauled to town. Several arrests were made.

He Made the Rounds.

In speaking of somebody an orator said: "He has ripped with Euripides, and sipped with Eusipides, and camped with Cantharides."

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What you are missing unless you investigate our prices; but remember we never sacrifice qualities in lowering prices. Another advance in the price of sugar has put the wholesale price around the 7c mark, nevertheless we are still weighing it up at 16 pounds best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00. But this isn't the only saving item we offer—we have a house full of them.

No. 3 (15c size) best Tomatoes, per can	10c	Best seeded raisins, per package	8c
No. 3 Kraut per can	8c	6 bars Sunny-Monday Soap	25c
No. 3 Hominy, per can	8c	7 bars Bob White Soap	25c
No. 3 Pumpkin per can	8c	1qt can Log Cabin Maple syrup, per can	39c
Aunt Jemima's Pancake flour, per pkg.	10c	\$1.00 jar Heinz Cherry Strawberry preserves	89c
Aunt Jemima's Buckwheat flour per pkg.	11c	10lb bucket Crusto Lard, per bkt.	\$1.00
Aunt Jemima's Special cake and pastry flour	19c	5lb bucket Crusto Lard, per bucket	55c
Best fancy evap. pchfs. per pound	12c	1lb can Louis brand steel cut Coffee	33c

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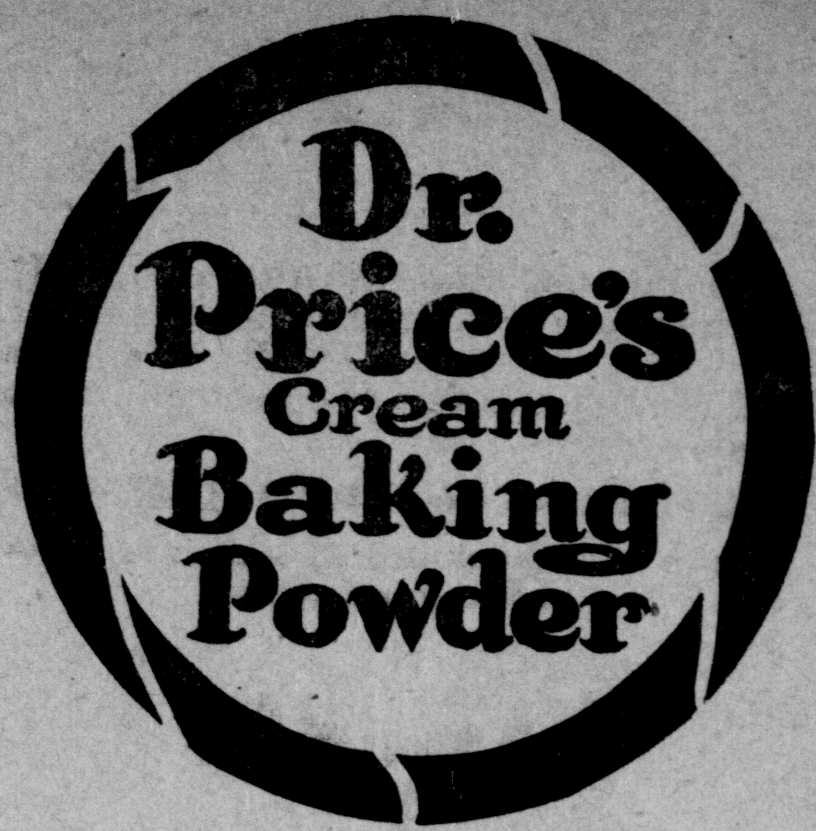
Because you are a monkey if you do—and not a very intelligent one at that. The reason Darwin concluded that man must have evolved from the chimpanzee is because so many people make such monkeys of themselves on just such simple things as the

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Do you want to help prove that the theory is wrong? Then buy your coal from us.

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AN EXAMPLE IT WOULD PAY ADA TO FOLLOW

The News-Herald job department is engaged in the production of a thirty-two page booklet, the contents of which presents an admirable description and pictorial review of the resources and investment attractiveness of the city of Shawnee and Pottawatomie county.

The publication of this rather comprehensive booklet is at the authorization of the Chamber of Commerce and its intelligent supervision is being attended to by Secretary Frank P. Stearns.

The Chamber of Commerce will distribute five thousand of these

booklets and it is expected that the banks and progressive real estate men of the city will take advantage of the opportunity afforded and will subscribe for and distribute several thousand additional copies.—Shawnee News-Herald.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their kind assistance in our griefs and trouble, through the death of husband and father, and also the kind ones who brought flowers and also Brother Anderson for the true words and sympathy spoken by him. May the Lord's richest blessings rest on them.

MRS. A. J. SPANGLER,
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Oklahoma State Bank
ADA, OKLAHOMA W. D. HAYS, Cashier

NORMAL NEWS.

About thirty men came out yesterday for baseball practice. The bunch was divided into squads and regular practice in batting, fielding and base running was held. After a while two teams were picked from the squad and a regular game was held.

Bruce Ligon and Kellis Reese are both promising pitchers. We know Pat Jones, he twirled for us last year. Big Ben Finks is the star man for catcher. Ben is a big husky fellow with a dandy throwing arm. The man who steals second with him behind the bat will be going some.

Miss Spriggs has returned from Springfield, Mo., where she was called by the illness of her sister. We are glad to learn that her sister is now convalescent.

Arrangements are being made to get out an annual.

The model school will cultivate a school garden this spring under the direction of the department of agriculture.

The field work in geometry has been hindered somewhat by the bad weather. The class is doing practical work, such as plotting, finding elevations and the like. Mr. Fentem is in charge.

A card from Pres. Briles states that he is "doing St. Louis." He states also that he has met many old friends among whom is Herman Harold Horn of New York university who is being considered for the presidency of the University of Oklahoma.

There is quite a sentiment among the students for more basket ball games. The team will resume practice today and other games will probably be scheduled. The university does not seem to want another game, at least they have said nothing about it. They must be afraid we'll get their goat again.

The first issue of the Oklahoma Magazine, successor to the Wide West, has reached the exchange table of the News. It is a very creditable specimen of periodical and one that deserves the patronage of the people of Oklahoma. Oklahoma is a rich field both for the historian and the romancer and it is up to the present generation to preserve as much of this material as possible, and a magazine is the best medium for the purpose. Other magazines have been founded in Oklahoma but died for want of support, but we hope to see the new venture prosper.

THE DAY IN THE DISTRICT COURT

The Indians, Harjo and Morgan, on trial yesterday afternoon on a charge of theft of animal, were acquitted by the jury.

Nathan Clark, charged with assault with intent to kill, was next put on trial. After the trial had made some progress and several witnesses had testified, the case was withdrawn from the jury and dismissed.

Charley Braddy, charged with grand larceny was next put on trial, and the case will probably be disposed of late in the afternoon.

WILL ORGANIZE DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Col. E. F. Wortham writes the News from Oklahoma City that he and Dr. A. Grant Evans, state secretary of the Democratic clubs, will be in Ada Saturday for the purpose of organizing a Democratic club at this place. The meeting will be at the city hall at 2 p. m. The principal feature will be an address on Democracy by Dr. Evans. Ladies especially invited.

BAILEY BOBBITT VICE PRESIDENT OF CLUBS

At the state convention it was determined to recognize the young men of the democratic party of Oklahoma into clubs and arouse their interest in the welfare of the party. In preparing for an effective organization a corps of state officers were chosen. Of these Bailey M. Bobbitt of Ada was elected vice-president of the Fourth congressional district, and it will be up to him to get the boys organized. As he is a hustler from the jump, and a democrat to the core, his selection was a good one and the young democrats of the district will be lined up as well as any bunch in the state.

George and Ed Harrison and J. F. Floyd have formed a partnership in the insurance, real estate and loan business. The new firm will be known as Harrison Bros. & Floyd, and will office in the Rollow building. All three are first class hustlers, and the prosperity of the new firm is assured from the beginning.

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U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	17,500.00
Bonds, Securities etc.	28,829.49
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	17,097.42
Other real estate owned	1,871.15
Due from National Banks, not reserve agents	131,516.46
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	16,329.62
Due from approved reserve agents	56,736.43
Checks and other cash items	2,947.63
Notes of other National Banks	1,780.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	5.53
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$15,883.45
Legal-tender notes	4,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	875.00
Bills of Exchange, Cotton	15,945.51
Total	480,541.25
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in	50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,273.21
National Bank notes outstanding	17,500.00
Due to other National Banks	20,951.08
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	6,197.92
Individual deposits subject to check	345,420.29
Time certificates of deposit	15,822.76
Certified checks	579.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,239.04
Bonds borrowed	808.32
Reserved for taxes	709.02
Total	480,541.25

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, COUNTY OF PONTOTOC, ss.
I, M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. D. TIMBERLAKE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Feb., 1912.

H. P. Sugg, Notary Public
CORRECT—Attest:
P. A. Norris
F. J. Phillips
W. C. Duncan } Directors.

For anything to read go to the Model Confectionery or Harris Hotel Cigar Stand. 196-11

WANTS

DRESSMAKING—I am prepared to do first class dressmaking on short notice. All work guaranteed, prices reasonable. Mrs. S. A. Simmons, 9th and Cherry. 280-3rd*

If you want a nice home up on 17th street you had better hurry while they are cheap. See G. W. Hall. 1t*

FOR RENT—Four room house, newly papered; 5th and Ash. Phone 352.

FOR RENT—Five room house. See R. S. Tobin. 219-4t

FOR RENT—Modern six room house, garden and stable. C. T. Barney. 279-tf

EGGS—White Orpington, Kellershaus Strain, Setting of 15 for \$1.50. Glenn Hardin, 19th and Townsend. Phone No. 25. 279-4t*

FOR RENT—Office rooms in new Aldrich building. C. S. Aldrich. 279-tf

FOR RENT—Five room cottage with stable in Sunrise. Phone Black 443. 277-tf

FOR SALE—On easy terms good four room house 714 W. 15th. Barn, cistern orchard. Also three room house 730 W. 15th. Will take team and wagon on trade. W. H. Traylor. 278-6t*

FOR SALE—One pair of computing, self-calculating scales, same as new. Cost \$85 a short time ago. Will sell very cheap if taken at once. Call at Harvey Luther's store East Main. Hurley Prince, Owner. 277-6td

FOR SALE—In South-Side addition one acre, well fenced with four room plastered house, good barn, hen house, well, cistern, variety of good fruit trees. For particulars see Dr. Granger. 277-6t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. Phone 156. Mrs. J. B. Emory, 227 E. 13th St. 277-6t

Boarders and roomers for light housekeeping wanted. 419 West 13th. Mrs. Mary Underwood. 276-tf

EGGS—Barred Plymouth Rocks, \$2.00 per 15. Mrs. L. E. Hutchison. 276-12thd*

WANTED—After March 1, a good 3 or 4 room house with small barn and fences. Apply at News office. tf

FOR RENT—Five room cottage with bath, 16th and Townsend. J. T. Higgins. 275-tf

FOR SALE—Grocery store, corner 7th and Johnson; residence, corner 7th and Ash; six-room residence on W. 14th. Call at store, 7th and Johnson. 274-ts-d*

SURRY—A good second hand two-seater, light surry for sale cheap. 400 West 14th. tf

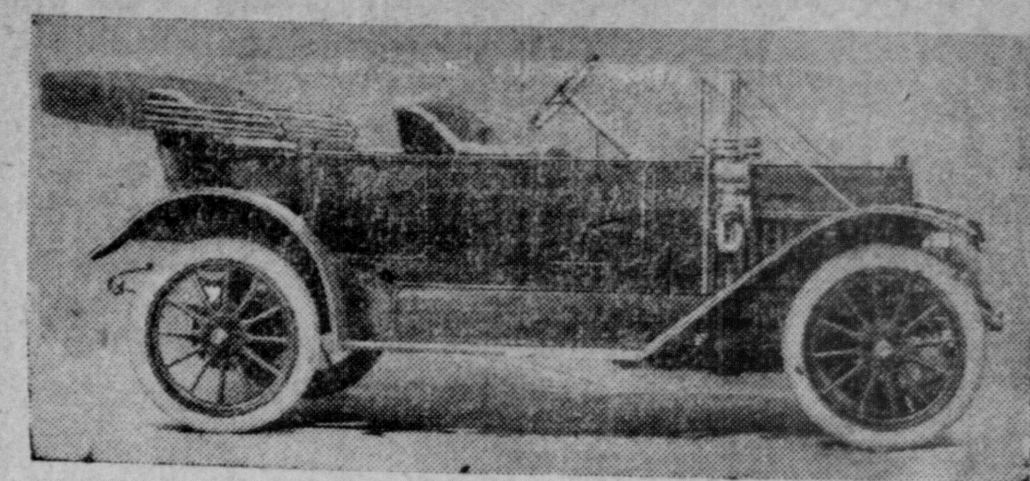
FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, one block from the city hall. Phone 397. Mrs. S. T. Williams. 265-tf

FOR RENT—6 room house on East 10th street, in same block with school building. Modern conveniences. R. E. Elanks. 255-tf

FOR RENT—Four room house. Inquire at Farmers State Bank. 246-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. S. M. White, 13th and Townsend. 228-tf

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W. K. CHANEY

Bad Storm in Texas Panhandle.

Amarillo, Tex., Feb. 28.—The Texas Panhandle and this entire section of the Southwest is in the grip of another snowstorm which broke this afternoon with a forecast for one of the worst of the winter.

This state of affairs is looked upon as calamitous by stockmen, as many of the animals barely weathered the storm of last Sunday.

In the event the present storm proves as severe as the advance notice indicates, there will not only be heavy shrinkage but many deaths among range herds.

Notice to Parents.

Complaints have been made about the practice of small boys discharging rifles within the city limits. As the ordinance strictly forbids such, all cases reported in the future will be prosecuted and the parents of the boys held responsible.

R. H. HOUNSHELL,
Chief of Police.

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We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to use in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common-sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorless, and tasteless; very pronounced gentle, and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them in Ada only at our store—The Rexall Store—Gwin & Mays Drug Co.

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Time Table in Effect June 18th, 1911

WESTWARD				EASTWARD			
P M	A M	Lv	Ar	P M	A M	Lv	Ar
	7 00				5 00		
	7 35		LEHIGH		4 30		
	8 05		Nixon		4 05		
	8 40		Tupelo		3 40		
	9 00		Stonewall		3 27		
	9 20		Frisco		3 14		
3 30	10 05		Truax				
			ADA	2 55	2 55		
3 50	11 15		Center	1 40	2 34		
4 02	11 35		Vanoss	1 25	2 20		
4 20	12 10	Ar	STRATFORD	12 55	2 02		
4 40	12 40	Lv		12 25			
5 07	1 42		Byars	12 00	1 42		
5 20	2 05		Rosedale	11 15	1 17		
5 40	2 18		Vincennes	10 50	1 05		
5 50	2 40	Ar	PURCELL	10 30	12 50		
6 00	3 00	Lv		9 55	12 50		
6 10	3 15		Gibbons Spur	9 30	12 28		
6 34	3 35		Washington	9 17	12 20		
6 52	4 55		Blanchard	8 45	12 00		
7 05	5 25		Middleberg	8 10	11 40		
7 15	5 45		Tabler	7 40	11 25		
7 30	6 00	Ar	Cornville	7 15	11 15		
P M	P M		CHICKASHA	7 00	11 00		

B. M. HAILE, Traffic Manager.

PURCELL, OKLAHOMA